

Product Evaluation

WIN1768 | 0423

Engineering Services Program

The following product has been evaluated for compliance with the wind loads specified in the International Residential Code (IRC) and the International Building Code (IBC).

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This product evaluation is intended for use by those individuals who are following the design wind load criteria in Chapter 3 of the IRC and Section 1609 of the IBC. The design loads determined for the building or structure shall not exceed the design load rating specified for the products shown in the limitations section of this product evaluation. This product evaluation does not relieve a Texas licensed engineer of his responsibilities as outlined in the Texas Insurance Code, the Texas Administrative Code, and the Texas Engineering Practice Act.

For more information, contact TDI Engineering Services Program at (800) 248-6032.

Evaluation ID: WIN-1768

Effective Date: April 1, 2023

Re-evaluation Date: June 2026

Product Name: Ply Gem 1500 Vinyl Fixed Windows, Fin and Frame Installation, Impact Resistant

Manufacturer: Ply Gem Windows & Doors
433 North Main St.
Rocky Mount, VA 24151
(800) 542-9118 ext. 413596

General Description:

System	Description	Label Rating	Design Pressure Rating
1	Ply Gem 1500 Vinyl Fixed Windows; O	LC-PG50 (48 x 80) Missile Level D	+50 / -50 psf
2	Ply Gem 1500 Vinyl Fixed Windows; O	LC-PG50 (60 x 72) Missile Level D	+50 / -60 psf

Product Dimensions:

System	Overall Size	Fixed Sash Daylight Opening Size
1	48" x 80"	43-3/8" x 75-1/2"
2	60-1/16" x 72"	55-1/2" x 67-1/2"

Product Identification (Certification Label on Window):

System		
1-2	Certification Agency	NAMI
	Manufacturer's Name or Code Name	Ply Gem Window Group
	Product Name	Ply Gem 1500 Impact Fixed Window
	Test Standards	AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/I.S.2/A440-11 AAMA 506-16; Missile Level D

Impact Resistance:

System	Impact Resistant	Requirement
1-2	Yes	These products satisfy TDI's criteria for protection from windborne debris. Install the assemblies at a height on the structure that does not exceed the design pressure rating for the assemblies.

Installation:

System		
1-2	Type of Installation	Install in accordance with Ply Gem Windows drawing No. PGW179TX, dated December 5, 2012; revision D dated August 3, 2020. Signed and sealed by Lucas A. Turner, P.E. on August 4, 2020.
	Wall Framing	
	Fasteners	
	Fastener Location/Spacing	
	Fastener Penetration	

Note: Keep the manufacturer's installation instructions available on the job site during installation. Use corrosion resistant fasteners as specified in the IRC and the IBC.